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E.O. 123561 DECL: OADR
TAGS: PEPR, PINT, MOPS, MILI, PLO, LE, SY, IS, US
SUBJ: EASTERN FRONT CEASEFIRE VIOLATIONS: ISRAELI
- REPORT OF WARNING TO SYRIANS VIA AMERICANS

REF: DAMASCUS 5903

1. AUGUST 19 RADIO ISRAEL 0700 LOCAL NEWS BROADCAST
CARRIED REPORT THAT ISRAEL HAD WARNED SYRIANS VIA THE
AMERICANS CONCERNING ESCALATING CEASEFIRE VIOLATIONS
ON EASTERN FRONT/BIJAL.

2. DURING MY AUGUST 18 DISCUSSION ON THIS SUBJECT
WITH SYRIAN DEPUTY FORMIN GADDOUR (REFTTEL), I
SPECIFICALLY TOLD HIM THAT I DID NOT HAVE WASHINGTON
INSTRUCTIONS NOR WAS I ACTING AT THE REQUEST OF ANY
OTHER PARTY. SINCE THE SYRIANS TOO MONITOR RADIO
ISRAEL VERY CLOSELY, I'M GLAD I SAID THIS.

3. BEIRUT MINIMIZE CONSIDERED. PAGANELLI

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